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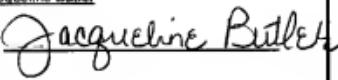
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	AB	INFOCOM 2001, Twentieth Annual Joint Conference of Proceedings, IEEE, Vol. 1, 2001, Pratt, I. Et al., "Arsenic: A User-Accessible Gigabit Ethernet Interface, Pages 67 - 76, Abstract, Figure 1.

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